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- 1) An original Declaration/Power of Attorney form executed by inventors Richard Jupe, Ronald William Dwyer, Don Earl Laslie, Arlington L. Finley, Barbara G. Taylor, Cecil M. Smith, and Vivian E. Willis.
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- 3) A copy of the Notice to File Missing Parts of Nonprovisional Application.

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